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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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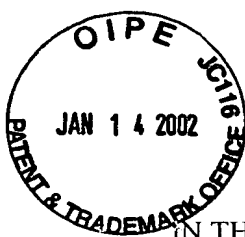
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE**  
**MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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Sir:

4-Month Extension. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a 4-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 12, 2001. This extension will extend the response due date from September 12, 2001, to January 14, 2002 (January 12 being a Saturday).

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application mailed on July 12, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed, applicants submit herewith, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63 and MPEP § 201.06(c), an executed Declaration for Non-Provisional Patent Application.

The fee for the submission of this response is estimated to be \$785 (small entity) (\$65 for late filing fee and \$720 for 4-month extension). Please charge all required fees to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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